

THE MOUNTAIN ADVOCATE
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PERSONALS
Around Town

Quite a number of our people were in Corbin Sunday.

W. H. McDonald was in Corbin Sunday, the guest of friends.

W. M. Baker left Wednesday for Nashville on a business trip.

Andrew and Elmer Decker left Wednesday morning for St. Mary's to enter school.

A. B. Asher, of the Richmond Coal Co., was a pleasant caller at this office Wednesday.

W. W. Shepard has returned from Casey county, where he spent the summer vacation.

W. H. McDonald is in Ashland this week, representing the Jr. O. U. A. M., of this place.

Capt. John A. Geary made a business trip to Lexington Saturday and returned the first of the week.

Miss Mary Wilson, of Danville, is again among the pupils who have enrolled for this year at Union College.

W. G. Gray, of Warren, was in town Wednesday, he has been on the sick list for the past few weeks suffering from malaria fever.

Miss Georgia Black returned last week from a pleasant visit in Maysville and Mason county, as the guest of Miss Robb and Miss Darnell.

Mrs. Henry Foley returned Monday from a few days visit to friends and relatives at Lowell, Garrard county.

Rev. L. B. Arvin returned Wednesday from a business trip to Louisville and other points in the interest of the Baptist Institute, and was successful in securing substantial financial aid to this worthy Institution.

Judge Thos. R. Gordon, of Louisville, was here a few hours on Thursday of last week on business. Judge Gordon is one of Kentucky's self-made men and is loved and respected by all who know him, irrespective of religion, politics or "what-not," as they used to say in Georgia, "befo de waa."

Rev. W. F. Bray, of London, stopped over at this place Wednesday night while en route to attend the North Concord Baptist Association, which assembles with Liberty Church three days this week, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Rev. Bray preached a very interesting sermon Wednesday night at the Baptist church.

LOCAL LOOM.

Full line of Men's and Boy's Belts and Suspenders at England's.

The water works is progressing nicely and new material is arriving daily.

Big line of Trunks and Suit Cases just received at England, Ellison's & Co's.

There are more "Dear People" in Knox county now, than at any time recently, and Democrats is scarce and "Dear" at any price.

Those who owe England, Ellison & Co., are requested to call and settle. Our terms are 30 days, no longer.

Homes have been provided for all the visiting ministers who are expected to be here during Conference week.

Nice, new, clean stock of Gingham, Prints, Dainties and other new goods just received at Englands.

The Council last Monday night ordered quite a lot of new concrete sidewalk put down in our city which will make a great improvement when the work is done.

Who said Taft? All good loyal Republicans.

The late rains have revived all creation besides making late corn.

See England's line of Woolen Pants from \$1.50 to \$3.75 per pair.

Ranch No. 101 will exhibit in this city Sept. 24. G. W. Tve, the liveryman, had six teams out yesterday advertising this big show for the above date.

England, Ellison & Co., see the entire line of the "Educator" Shoes. None better if so good.

Big Gun.

The Republicans of Kentucky have arranged to open the campaign on September 15, at Louisville, with Hon. Leslie M. Shaw, as the principal speaker.

From that time on until the day of election the fight will be waged hot to keep Kentucky in the Republican column for Judge Taft.

Always something new and attractive at England's. Come and see.

Uncle Bill Beard made a good Republican speech Saturday at the courthouse.

You can buy your groceries cheap from the Parker Grocery Co. Get their prices before buying.

BEREA COLLEGE opens Sept. 16 and has something good for every student. Collegiate, Academy, Normal, Industrial, Model Schools, Music and Business departments. You will never forgive yourself if you miss the chance of knowing Berea's teachers and students, and improving the talents that are undeveloped within you. Education is possible for all resolute young people at BEREA, and the time to start in for education is now. For information and friendly advice, address, WILL C. GAMBLE, Berea, Ky.

Letter From Kansas.

818 Forest Ave. Kansas City, Mo., Sept. 4, 1908.

I am to leave here immediately after the 3rd Sunday in this month for Barbourville, Ky. Am to preach at the Christian Church in Barbourville on Sunday, September 27, 1908. Morning subject—"The Millennium, or The Reign of a Thousand Years," Evening subject—"The Days of the Judgment."

Your's Sincerely,
T. M. Meyers

J. W. Hemphill Announces.

In today's issue appears the announcement of J. W. Hemphill, for the office of Assessor of Knox county.

He is a life long citizen of Knox, moving here with his parents from Laurel Co., when only six months old. He is a life-long Republican, believing in the principles of the same. He has never held an elective office having been defeated once for County Court Clerk.

He is 59 years of age and has done hard service for the party and has never been rewarded as yet with an office. He is a poor man and needs the office and is well qualified to fill the same.

He places his claims in the hands of the party and will abide by the result of the primary on January 5, 1909.

Come to the Institute.

There will be a Farmers Institute held at Barbourville, September 22 and 23, under the auspices of the State department of agriculture and the Knox county Farmers' Club. Lectures on the various topics of interests to farmers is one of the features of the meeting. Come and bring your family. Something of interest to all. Young people and ladies especially invited.

In many cases it may not matter much. But one never knows until afterwards whether it matters or not. And through false politeness we are usually assured that it does not matter even when it does.



W. W. Evans for Superintendent of Schools.

Prof. Walter W. Evans announces his candidacy through the columns of the Advocate to the voters of Knox county, asking their support for the office of Superintendent of Public Schools.

Prof. Evans has been a teacher in the county for several years and has enjoyed the confidence of every one. He is well educated and qualified for the position, having attended several years at Union College and Williamsburg after finishing the Common School branches.

He is a life-long Republican and has done valiant service for the party. He now places his claims in the hands of his party and depends upon it for his success in the primary on January 5, 1909.

BRIDGES

Being Built in all Parts of the County.

The Fiscal Court has had erected this summer six new bridges in the county as follows: One at Emanuel, one at Nate Jones, one at Hammons Fork, one at Hale's Creek, one at George Hammons, all of wood. Also a new steel bridge crossing Hazel Fork, near Woodbine, and the new steel beams are now on the ground for the floor of the Cumberland bridge in the city and will be put in at once.

SPRUE.

Born, to the wife Frank Hopkins, a boy; to the wife of Tucker Smith, a boy.

L. D. Jarvis, our merchant, sold his stock of goods to Sener Smith,

The spelling match between Mrs. Sasser's school at this place, and Mr. Hal's school was a tie.

Your correspondent has been on the sick list.

J. J. Carey, our mail carrier, who was hurt some time ago, is improving.

Henry and Perry Sasser visited their sister, Mrs. Sam Cobb.

Supt. Parker visited the school at this place a few days ago.

Maybe you can waste your own time by being late in keeping appointments and feel like the loss, if any, is your own affair. But it is also the affair of the man you kept waiting. You waste his time, and your time too. If your time is worthless maybe his is not. He may conclude that his time is worth more to him than you are.

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CHURCH NOTICE.

The Cumberland River Baptist Church, corner Main and Pine St., Barbourville, Ky.

REV. L. B. ARVIN, Pastor.

Regular services each Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday 7 p. m.
Young People's Union, meets at 2:30 p. m., each Sunday.
The public are cordially invited.

CHURCH NOTICE.

First M. E. Church,
John D Hitchcock, Pastor.
Public service each Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Sunday School, 9.45 a. m.
Epworth League, 6:15 p. m.
Junior League, 2:30 p. m.
Choir Practice, Thursday, 3:30 p.m.
Boy's Chorus Choir, Tuesday, 4:00 p. m.
Prayer Meeting, Thurs., 7:00 p. m

DO YOU WANT TO KNOW

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With pardonable pride, we call attention to three items of our last "Report of Earnings and Dividends" rendered the Comptroller of the Currency, at the close of business on June 30th, 1908.

Total surplus fund proper to date of this report \$10,000.00
Total dividends since organization (1902) \$ 9,250.00
Amount of net profits, undivided \$ 501.81

Total profits, as National Bank, less expenses, taxes paid, premiums, losses, etc. \$19,751.81

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